



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: G.J. Bertini et al.

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Title: CABLE FLUID INJECTION SLEEVE

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Seattle, Washington 98101

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TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

Applicants respectfully request that the shortened statutory period for response to the outstanding Office Action, dated February 3, 2005, set to expire on May 3, 2005, be extended by three months to expire on August 3, 2005. In response to the Office Action, a continuation application is being filed concurrently herewith (our Docket No. UTLX-1-25896).

Enclosed is our Check No. 165259 in the amount of \$1020.00 to cover the 3-month request for extension of time fee.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17 and 1.18 which may be required during the entire pendency of the application, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 03-1740. This authorization also hereby includes a request for any extensions of time of the appropriate length required upon the filing of any reply during the entire prosecution of this application. A copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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